**4th Grade Social Studies 1st Quarter**

**Recommended Pacing**

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| **Week** | **Nystrom Map and Globes Skills Teacher Guide Lesson #** | **Junior Geographer Atlas Student Activities (optional)** |
| 1 | 1) Introducing the Atlas, Maps, and Globe pages 3-6  2) Comparing Maps and Globes pages 7-12  3) Decoding Maps and Globes pages 13-18 | 1a and 1b- Getting to Know Your Atlas  2a and 2b- Exploring Atlas Pages  3) Why do we use globes and maps?  4) How do you decode a map or globe? |
| 2 | 4) Continents and Oceans  5) North and South | 5) What are the continents and oceans?  6)What are the cardinal directions? |
| 3 | 6) East, West, and Intermediate  Directions  7) Map Scale  Unit 1 Review | 7) How do you use a map scale? |
| 4 | 8) Political Maps  9) Physical Maps | 8) What does a political map show?  9) What does a physical map show? |
| 5 | 10) Bodies of Water 11) Landforms | 10) What bodies of water do maps show?  11) What landforms do maps show? |
| 6 | 12) Elevation  Review Unit 2  13) Northern and Southern Hemispheres  14) Eastern and Western Hemispheres | 12) How do maps show elevation?  13) What are hemispheres? |
| 7 | 15) Latitude  16) Longitude | 14) What is latitude?  15) What is longitude? |
| 8 | 17) Global Address  18) Road Maps  Unit 3 Review | 16) How do you use the grid system?  17) How do you use a road map? |